

Enforcement of Environmental Laws

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This Telecourse is designed to increase the peace officers' recognition of environmental crime as a threat to public safety and encourages enforcement of environmental laws at the local level. The program provides an overview of the long-term effects of environmental crimes, details important officer safety concerns when responding to the scene of an environmental crime, and highlights those environmental laws that peace officers may enforce.

The Telecourse DVD offers three viewing options:

- 1. Play Telecourse in its entirety (95 min.)
- 2. Select among ten Telecourse segments:
- · Introduction (6 min.)
- Recognition of Environmental Hazards (18 min.)
- · Environmental Laws (15 min.)
- · Response and Enforcement (6 min.)
- Resources (6 min.)
- Carpet Cleaner (10 min.)
- Junk Hauler (10 min.)
- Wire Burn (8 min.)
- · Gas Truck (11 min.)
- · Wrap-Up (4 min.)
- 3. Select among four Interaction segments:
- · Carpet Cleaner
- Junk Hauler
- Wire Burn
- Gas Truck





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Photo Showups: The Basics

with William Bedsworth, Justice of the Court of Appeal, State of California Justice Bedsworth uses the case of People v. Shabazz to explain the basic requirements for putting together a photo array for a photographic showup. Cases cited: People v. Shabazz (2004) 118 Cal. App. 4th 1458; People v. Brandon (1995) 32 Cal. App. 4th 1033. (10:12)

Probable Cause Arrests: Objective Standard Rules

with Jeff Rubin, Alameda County District Attorney's Office

A warrantless arrest is lawful so long as there are objective facts supporting probable cause to arrest for an offense. It is not necessary that the offense for which the officer subjectively believed he was formally arresting the suspect is the offense for which the known facts provided probable cause, nor is it required that the offense for which was suspect was formally arrested be "closely related" to the offense for which probable cause existed. Case cited: Devenpeck v. Alford (2004) DJDAR 14750. (8:54)

Pat-Downs: Refusal May Lead to P.C. §148 Arrest

with Daniel McNerney, Superior Court Judge, State of California
Police may pat-down a detainee for weapons if they have reasonable
suspicion that he/she is armed and dangerous. A detainee who refuses or
resists a lawful pat-down is subject to arrest for P.C. §148. Case cited: People
v. Lopez (2004) 119 CA4 132. (6:14)

Hunch Doesn't Equal Reasonable Suspicion to Stop

with Jeff Rubin, Alameda County District Attorney's Office
Where police received information from a student that unknown Mexican
gang members were threatening to come by his apartment the next morning,
police did not have reasonable suspicion, four days later, to stop a car with
two Hispanic males just because they both looked in the general direction of
the student's apartment complex as they drove past it. Case cited: People v.
Durazo (2004) 21 Cal.Rptr.3d 516. (5:56)

Penal Code §71: Do You Know It?

with William Bedsworth, Justice of the Court of Appeal, State of California Little-known Penal Code §71 makes it illegal to threaten a public employee or school employee (private or public) in order to cause that person not to perform his/her duties. This a wobbler felony which all police officers should be familiar with. Justice Bedsworth uses the case of In re Ernesto H. to explain the workings of the statute. Case cited: In re Ernesto H. (2004) Daily Journal DAR 14786. (7:07)

Searches of In-Custody Parolee's Residence

with Jeff Rubin, Alameda County District Attorney's Office
Although reasonable suspicion is not required to do a parole search, there
must be probable cause to believe the parolee resides at the place searched.
No such probable cause existed where it was easy for officers to ascertain
parolee had been in custody for six weeks before search occurred. Also, the
manner in which the search is conducted must be reasonable or the search
will be unconstitutional. Case cited: Motley v. Parks (2004) 123 Cal.App.4th
144. (7:07)





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S&S: More On Anonymous Tips

with Daniel McNerney, Superior Court Judge, State of California
In order for police to detain a suspect based on an anonymous tip, the tipster
must indicate that they have personal knowledge of the information given to
police, and the information must predict future criminal activities that can be
corroborated by police. Cases cited: Florida v. J.L. (2000) 529 U.S. 266;
People v. Jordan (2004) 121 CA4 544. (9:41)

Search of Vehicle Incident to Arrest

with Jeff Rubin, Alameda County District Attorney's Office
As long as there is probable cause to make an arrest, and the search is conducted "roughly contemporaneously" with the arrest, a search incident to arrest (including a search of a vehicle) is permitted-- regardless of whether the search occurs before or after the formal arrest. Cases cited: Chimel v. California (1969) 395 U.S. 752; New York v. Belton (1981) 453 U.S. 454; United States v. Smith (9th Cir. 2004) 389 F.3d 944; United States v. McLaughlin (9th Cir. 1999) 170 F.3d 889; United States v. Hudson (9th Cir. 1996) 100 F.3d 1409. (6:56)

Security Camera Photos and Lineups or Showups

with William Bedsworth, Justice of the Court of Appeal, State of California
In this case, the Ninth Circuit Court of Appeals dealt with a bank robbery in
which police showed witnesses security camera photos of the robber before
showing them a photo showing of suspects. The court held this was a
permissible and reasonable law enforcement technique. Justice Bedsworth
explains when you can show photos of the perpetration to witnesses prior to
lineups or showups. Case cited: <u>United States v. Beck</u> (2005) DJDAR 162.
(5:42)

Unreasonable Delay in Taking Arrestee to Magistrate

with Jeff Rubin, Alameda County District Attorney's Office
Where an arrestee is brought in for a traffic violation but no attempt is made
to book or arraign him on that violation and instead he is detained for 16
hours while being interviewed about a murder case for which probable cause
to arrest him is lacking, there is a Fourth Amendment violation. Plus, a
suspect with subnormal intelligence can still give a knowing and intelligent
Miranda waiver. Cases cited: County of Riverside v. McLaughlin (1991) 500
U.S. 44; People v. Jenkins (2004) 122 Cal.App.4th 1160. (14:09)

Search and Seizure: Protective Sweeps

with Daniel McNerney, Superior Court Judge, State of California
In order to enter a home to conduct a "protective sweep," police must have reasonable suspicion that there is a person present in the house posing a danger to officer safety. Cases cited: Maryland v. Buie (1990) 494 U.S. 325; U.S. v. Gould (2004) 364 F3d 578; U.S. v. Daoust (1990) 916 F2d 757; U.S. v. Wilson (2001) 306 F3d 231; State v. Revenaugh (1999) 173 Idaho 774; People v. Celis (2004) 33 C4 667. (7:54)

Statements Taken After Illegal Arrest

with Jeff Rubin, Alameda County District Attorney's Office
Although a statement taken during an unreasonably delay in bringing an arrestee before a magistrate may be suppressed, if the suspect is released from custody for a period of time and then voluntarily returns to give another statement, the second statement may still be admissible. Plus, it is permissible to place two suspects together in a jail cell and secretly record them. Case cited: People v. Jenkins (2004) 122 Cal.App.4th 1160. (10:57)





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What Is Not a Crime: Videotaping Police

with William Bedsworth, Justice of the Court of Appeal, State of California There is no reasonable expectation of privacy in things you say on the police radio. And the actions you take in public are likewise public. You cannot stop anyone from videotaping an arrest or police radio dispatch. You can make it more difficult (by rolling up your car windows, for example) but it is not illegal and you cannot prohibit it. Justice Bedsworth explains this, using the cautionary tale of a small-town Washington police chief who got sued for this. Case cited: Johnson v. Hawe (2004) (September 1, 2004) DJDAR 10814. (7:00)

Searching Hatchback Cargo Area Incident to Arrest

with Jeff Rubin, Alameda County District Attorney's Office
The cargo portion of a hatchback vehicle is part of the "passenger compartment" for purposes of the Belton rule allowing search of the passenger compartment of a vehicle incident to arrest, even if it is covered. Other issues arising in the case of Mayo are also discussed with the investigating officer. Cases cited: United States v. Mayo (2005) DJDAR 604 New York v. Belton (1981) 453 U.S. 454. (14:47)

Parole/Probation Searches: Areas of Joint Access

with Daniel McNerney, Superior Court Judge, State of California
An officer's knowledge of the search and seizure condition of a person's
parole or probation allows the officer to search all areas of the residence to
which the parolee/probationer reasonably appears to have normal access to.
Cases cited: People v. Woods (1999) 21 CA4 668; People v. Johnson (1980)
105 CA3 884; People v. Pleasant (2004) 123 CA4 194. (7:57)

Ambiguous Requests for Counsel

with Jeff Rubin, Alameda County District Attorney's Office
Once a suspect has asserted his/her right to counsel during custodial
interrogation, the interrogation must cease. However, if the request for
counsel is ambiguous or equivocal, officers are not required to stop their
interrogation. Cases cited: <u>Davis v. United States</u> (1994) 512 U.S. 452; <u>People v. Gonzalez</u> (2005) 34 Cal.4th 1111. (8:10)

Search of a Car Incident to Arrest of Occupant

with William Bedsworth, Justice of the Court of Appeal, State of California
Justice Bedsworth discusses one of those rare and wonderful bright line rules:
search of an automobile incident to arrest. The law is — at least for now —
very clear about what you can and cannot search incident to the arrest of a
driver. As this case makes clear, you can search a car incident to an arrest
even if you arrested your suspect outside the car and even if there could be
no evidence of the crime in the car. Justice Bedsworth explains how this can
be true. Cases cited: <u>United States v. Osife</u> (2004) DJDAR 2058; <u>Chimel v.</u>
California (1969) 395 U.S. 752. (7:22)

Dog Sniffs Are Not Searches

with Jeff Rubin, Alameda County District Attorney's Office
No reasonable suspicion is required before having a narcotics sniffing dog sniff around the exterior of a vehicle during an otherwise lawful traffic stop, so long as use of the dog does not unreasonably prolong the stop, because such sniffing does not violate a privacy right protected by the Fourth Amendment (i.e., it is not a search). Case cited: Illinois v. Caballes (2005) 125 S.Ct. 834. (4:29)



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